

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES STAFF REPORT

ITEM NO. 4.3

DATE: September 25, 2025

TO: Chairperson and Members of the Library Board of Trustees

FROM: Anwan Baker, Library Director

SUBJECT: Budgeting 2.0 for Teens Program Report

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the Library Board of Trustees receive the report.

DECISION TYPE

Not Applicable

SUMMARY

On Monday, September 15, 2025, teens ages 11-18 were invited to register to learn budgeting skills presented by Financial Beginnings. Financial Beginnings is a non-profit that provides educational programs that incorporate all aspects of personal finance to give individuals the foundation they need to make informed financial decisions.

DISCUSSION

After the success of this budgeting workshop, Library Youth Services staff are considering offering additional financial education programming to children and teens. Financial Beginnings has been a great partner in offering Financial Education programming to the public of all ages. The organization provides resources for children, teens, and adults, including booklets for each lesson. Students who attended the workshop expressed an interest in learning how to buy a home and invest in stocks. Staff welcome any suggestions on future financial classes from the Library Board of Trustees.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Teen Budget 2.0 Program Presentation

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